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ANNUAL AUDITED REPORT **FORM X-17A-5** PART III

FACING PAGE Information Required of Brokers and Dealers Pursuant to Section 17 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 and Rule 17a-5 Thereunder

Washington, D.C. 20549

REPORT FOR THE PERIOD BEGINNING JANUARY 1, 2003 AND ENDING DECEMBER31, 2003 MM/DD/YY MM/DD/YY ... A. REGISTRANT IDENTIFICATION NAME OF BROKER-DEALER: CORNERSTONE FINANCIAL SERVICES, INC. OFFICIAL USE ONLY ADDRESS OF PRINCIPAL PLACE OF BUSINESS: (Do not use P.O. Box No.) FIRM I.D. NO. 1345 BORKKVILLE WAY, SUITE C (No. and Street) INDIANAPOLIS INDIANA 46239 (State) NAME AND TELEPHONE NUMBER OF PERSON TO CONTACT IN REGARD TO THIS REPORT MELVIN C. BREWER B. ACCOUNTANT IDENTIFICATION FEB 2 7 2004 INDEPENDENT PUBLIC ACCOUNTANT whose opinion is contained in this Report* PRICE & GARTRELL, P.C. 188 (Name - if individual, state last, first, middle name) 8465 KEYSTONE CROSSING, SUITE 195 INDIANAPOLIS INDIANA (Address) (City) (Zip Code) (State) CHECK ONE: PROCESSED Certified Public Accountant ☐ Public Accountant Accountant not resident in United States or any of its possessions. FOR OFFICIAL USE ONLY

*Claims for exemption from the requirement that the annual report be covered by the opinion of an independent public accountant must be supported by a statement of facts and circumstances relied on as the basis for the exemption. See Section 240.17a-5(e)(2)



OATH OR AFFIRMATION

I,	MELVIN C. BREWER	, swear (or affirm) that, to the best of
my :	cnowledge and belief the accompanying financial statement CORNERSTONE FINANCIAL SERVICES,	
of	DECEMBER 31 ,20	
neit		fficer or director has any proprietary interest in any account
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		Malvin C. Bruce
		Signature
	A	PRESIDENT
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Thi	report ** contains (check all applicable boxes):	
	(a) Facing Page.(b) Statement of Financial Condition.	
	(c) Statement of Income (Loss).	
	(d) Statement of Changes in Financial Condition.(e) Statement of Changes in Stockholders' Equity or Par	strava) ar Sala Pransistara; Canital
	(f) Statement of Changes in Stockholders' Equity of Fail	<u> </u>
	(g) Computation of Net Capital.	
	(h) Computation for Determination of Reserve Requirem	
	(i) Information Relating to the Possession or Control Re	of the Computation of Net Capital Under Rule 15c3-3 and the
_	Computation for Determination of the Reserve Requ	
		Statements of Financial Condition with respect to methods of
	consolidation. (1) An Oath or Affirmation.	
$\overline{\Box}$	(m) A copy of the SIPC Supplemental Report.	
	(n) A report describing any material inadequacies found to	exist or found to have existed since the date of the previous audit.
**F	or conditions of confidential treatment of certain portion	s of this filing, see section 240.17a-5(e)(3).

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Cornerstone Financial Services, Inc. Indianapolis, Indiana

Independent Auditor's Report

We have audited the accompanying statement of financial condition of Cornerstone Financial Services, Inc., as of December 31, 2003, and the related statements of income, changes in stockholders' equity, and cash flows for the year then ended. These financial statements are the responsibility of the Company's management. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on our audit.

We have conducted our audit in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free of material misstatement. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. An audit also includes assessing the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall financial statement presentation. We believe that our audit provides a reasonable basis for our opinion.

In our opinion the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the financial condition of Cornerstone Financial Services, Inc. as of December 31, 2003, and the results of its operations and its cash flows for the year then ended in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles.

Our audit was made for the purpose of forming an opinion on the basic financial statements, taken as a whole. The information contained on page 7 through 9 is presented for purposes of additional analysis and is not a required part of the basic financial statements, but is supplementary information required by Rule 17a - 5 of the Securities and Exchange Commission. Such information has been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the examination of the basic financial statements and, in our opinion, is fairly stated in all material respects in relation to the basic financial statements taken as a whole.

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January 23, 2004

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CORNERSTONE FINANCIAL SERVICES, INC. STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL CONDITION DECEMBER 31, 2003

ASSETS

Cash	\$	2,940
Cash - money market account		10,049
Commissions receivable		5,895
Investment - Warrants (300) of National Association of		
Securities Dealers, Inc., at cost		3,300
Total assets	\$	22,184
LIABILITIES AND STOCKHOLDERS' EQUITY		
Accounts payable	\$	
Stockholders' equity		
Common stock, no par value		
Authorized - 1,000 shares		
Issued and outstanding - 100 shares		1,000
Additional paid-in capital		73,360
Retained earnings (deficit)	<u> </u>	(52,176)
		22,184
	\$	22,184

CORNERSTONE FINANCIAL SERVICES, INC. STATEMENT OF INCOME FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2003

REVENUE	
Commissions and fees	\$ 105,017
Advisory fees	\$ 26,469
Interest	 27
	131,513
EXPENSES Commissions Other operating expense	 124,202 4,378
	 128,580
Net income	\$ 2,933

CORNERSTONE FINANCIAL SERVICES, INC. STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN STOCKHOLDERS' EQUITY FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2003

	Common Stock	Additional Paid-In <u>Capital</u>	Retained Earnings (Deficit)
Balance at January 1, 2003	\$ 1,000	\$ 76,012	\$ (55,109)
Net income	 		 2,933
Balance at December 31, 2003	\$ 1,000	\$ 76,012	\$ (52,176)

CORNERSTONE FINANCIAL SERVICES, INC. STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2003

Cash flows from operating activities:

Net income Adjustments to reconcile per income to net cash	\$ 2,933
provided by operating activities: Increase in accounts receivable	(2,812)
Net cash provided by operating activities	 121
Net increase in cash	121
Cash at beginning of year	 12,868
Cash at end of year	\$ 12,989

CORNERSTONE FINANCIAL SERVICES, INC. NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2003

1. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

The Company is a registered broker-dealer. All trades are cleared on a fully disclosed basis.

2. CAPITAL REQUIREMENTS

Pursuant to the Securities and Exchange Commission Uniform Net Capital Rule, the Company is required to maintain minimum net capital (\$ 5,000), as defined under Rule 15c3-1. At December 31, 2003, the Company had net capital of \$ 18,583.

3. EXEMPTION FROM RULE 15c3-3

The Company does not collect any customer funds. The Company does not hold any securities for its customers and it clears all transactions with a clearing broker or dealer. Accordingly, the Company meets the exemptive provisions of Rule 15c3-3.

4. RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS

The Company utilizes office space, equipment and the personnel of a related party (the common stockholders) and, accordingly, incurred expenses paid to these parties amounting to approximately \$ 124,000 for the year.

CORNERSTONE FINANCIAL SERVICES, INC. COMPUTATION OF NET CAPITAL UNDER RULE 15c3-1 OF THE SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION DECEMBER 31, 2003

Net Capital

Net capital	\$ 18,583
Haircuts - assets held by clearing broker - other securities	(301) (3,300)
Ownership equity per financial statements	\$ 22,184

CORNERSTONE FINANCIAL SERVICES, INC. COMPUTATION OF NET CAPITAL UNDER RULE 15c3-1 OF THE SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION DECEMBER 31, 2003

Aggregate indebtedness		•
Included in statement of financial condition Accounts payable	\$	-
Computation of basis net capital requirement		
Minimum net capital required	\$	_
Minimum dollar net capital requirement of		
reporting broker or dealer	\$	5,000
Net capital requirement	<u>\$</u>	5,000
Excess net capital	\$	13,583
Ratio: aggregate indebtedness to net capital		0 to 1

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To the Board of Directors of Cornerstone Financial Services, Inc. Indianapolis, Indiana

In planning and performing our audit of the financial statements of Cornerstone Financial Services, Inc. for the year ended December 31, 2003, we considered its internal control structure in order to determine our auditing procedures for the purpose of expressing our opinion on the financial statements and not to provide assurance on the internal control structure.

We also made a study of the practices and procedures followed by the Company in making the periodic computations of aggregate indebtedness and net capital under rule 17a-3(a)(11) and the procedures for determining compliance with the exemptive provisions of rule 15c3-3. We did not review the practices and procedures followed by the Company in making the quarterly securities examinations, counts, verifications and comparisons, and the recordation of differences required by rule 17a-13 or in complying with the requirements for prompt payment for securities under Section 8 of Regulation T of the Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, because the Company does not carry security accounts for customers or perform custodial function relating to customer securities.

The management of the Company is responsible for establishing and maintaining an internal control structure and the practice and procedures referred to in the preceding paragraph. In fulfilling this responsibility, estimates and judgments by management are required to assess the expected benefits and related costs of internal control structure policies and procedures and of the practices and procedures referred to in the preceding paragraph and to assess whether those practices and procedures can be expected to achieve the Commission's above-mentioned objectives. Two of the objectives of an internal control structure and the practices and procedures are to provide management with reasonable, but not absolute, assurance that assets for which the Company has responsibility are safeguarded against loss from unauthorized use or disposition, and that transactions are executed in accordance with management's authorization and recorded properly to permit preparation of financial statements in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles. Rule 17a-5(g) lists additional objectives of the practices and procedures listed in the preceding paragraph.

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Because of inherent limitations in any internal control structure or the practices and procedures referred to above, errors or irregularities may occur and not be detected. Also, projection of any evaluation of them to future periods is subject to the risk that they may become inadequate because of changes in conditions or that the effectiveness of their design and operation may deteriorate.

Our consideration of the internal control structure would not necessarily disclose all matters in the internal control structure that might be material weaknesses under standards established by the American Institute of Certified Public Accountants. A material weakness is a condition in which the design or operation of the specific internal control structure elements does not reduce to a relatively low level the risk that errors or irregularities in amounts that would be material in relation to the financial statements being audited may occur and not be detected within a timely period by employees in the normal course of performing their assigned functions. However, we noted no matters involving the internal control structure that we consider to be material weaknesses as defined above.

We understand that practices and procedures that accomplish the objectives referred to in the second paragraph of this report are considered by the Commission to be adequate for its purposes in accordance with the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 and related regulations, and that practices and procedures that do not accomplish such objectives in all material respects indicate a material inadequacy for such purposes. Based on this understanding and on our study, we believe that the Company's practices and procedures were adequate at December 31, 2003, to meet the Commission's objectives.

This report is intended solely for the use of management, the Securities and Exchange Commission, the New York Stock Exchange and other regulatory agencies which rely on Rule 17a-5(g) under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 and should not be used for any other purpose.

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JANUARY 23, 2004